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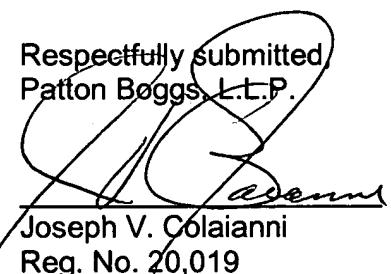
In re Application of: WILLIAM E. VERGIN  
Title: OFF-BOARD NAVIGATIONAL  
Application Number: SYSTEM  
**10/651,993**  
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**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 36 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents to extend the term for filing a response to a Office Action dated July 28, 2004, the period extended by 1 month to December 23, 2004, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). Please charge the filing fee for a one-month extension of time of \$110.00 to Deposit Account 50-0709. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,  
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